

## **Community Involvement Plan Update Questions-2016**

### **Montana Pole and Treating Plant Superfund Site**

Interviewee names will remain confidential and information used will not be associated with any particular person. However, persons responding in an official capacity (elected officials, local government officials, etc.) cannot be guaranteed confidentiality. This should be noted at the beginning of each interview.

Name:

Organization:

Email address:

1. Please tell us a little about how long you have lived here and what your impressions have been about the project.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Do you feel informed as to what is happening at the Montana Pole site? If so, how are you getting your information? If not, how could DEQ help to inform you about the actions being taken and the progress being made?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. Have you previously received information regarding the Montana Pole and Treatment Plant Superfund site? If so, via what method? What information did you receive and were you able to understand it?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What is your preferred method of receiving information (the newspaper, U.S. Mail, email updates, newsletters, Internet, or other)? What specific news outlets do you read/watch/listen to?

5. Have you ever attended a meeting where DEQ staff were present to discuss the Montana Pole site? If so, when was the meeting held, and where? Also, if you have attended a meeting, what were your thoughts regarding the meeting's contents and DEQ's presentation? If you have not attended any informational meetings, is there a reason you have not, and do you have any suggestions as to how DEQ could improve attendance at these meetings?
6. How frequently do you think DEQ should hold informational meetings regarding the Montana Pole site? What format do you think is best for these informational meetings (open house, presentation with Q&A, etc.)?
7. How involved have you been in communicating with DEQ about the Montana Pole site, either formally or informally? If you have communicated with DEQ about the Montana Pole site, what methods have you used to do so?
8. Have you ever contacted DEQ about the Montana Pole site, and if so, do you feel that DEQ was responsive when you contacted them? If not, how could DEQ have been more responsive?

9. With what frequency would you like to receive updates on the Montana Pole site (quarterly, semi-annually, annually, only when a milestone is reached, etc.)?

10. DEQ wishes to encourage an informed and involved public. Are there any other communication methods or items of specific interest about the Montana Pole site that you would like to know more about? Do you have suggestions for how DEQ can better inform and involve the public?

11. Who else in the community do you think could provide valuable feedback to DEQ regarding communication methods and frequency at the Montana Pole site?